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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Attorney Docket No. 03493.00246

First Inventor Farhad Barzegar et al.

Title A SERVICE TO PROVIDE BACKUP TELEPHONE SERVICE FOR A
MULTIPLE SERVICE ACCESS SYSTEM USING A TWISTED PAIR

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(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 36]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the Invention
 - Cross References to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 8]
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9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
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of prior application No: 09 / 001.343

Prior application information: Examiner P. Nguyen

Group / Art Unit: 2663

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